

COMMONWEALTH of VIRGINIA

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The Honorable Thomas K. Norment, Jr., Chairman and Members, Joint Legislative Audit and Review Commission General Assembly Building Capitol Square Richmond, Virginia 23219

Gentlemen:

Pursuant to Sections 2.2-2901 and 30-132 of the <u>Code of Virginia</u>, the Commission establishes the scales of pay and number of positions for this Office. The Commission last established the scales and positions on May 9, 2005. In accordance with Item 461 of the 2006 Appropriation Act, we request that our base salaries be increased by 4 percent on November 25, 2006 as shown on the proposed salary scales.

While we do not anticipate exceeding the authorized number of positions, the foregoing is subject to the usual understanding that this Office retains the flexibility to staff in excess of the authorized number of positions so long as the costs remain within our appropriation.

Sincerely,

Auditor of Rublic Accounts

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA AUDITOR OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS PROPOSED SALARY SCALES

AUDIT AND AUDIT SUPPORT

	Number of Positions			Proposed Scale Effective
Position	2006	2007	Present Scale	November 25, 2006
Deputy Auditor	1	1	\$77,224 - \$133,274	\$80,313 - \$138,605
Project Leader	14	14	59,117 - 123,169	61,482 - 128,096
Auditor	45	45	39,598 - 79,502	41,182 - 82,682
Staff	_84	_84	24,360 - 53,258	25,334 - 55,388
Total	<u>144</u>	<u>144</u>		•

ALLOCATION OF STAFF POSITIONS

Audit	74	74
Audit Support	10	10
Total	_84	<u>. 84</u>